

**PATENT APPLICATION**  
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For: A METHOD FOR HANDLING DATA BETWEEN A CLOCK AND DATA  
RECOVERY CIRCUIT AND A DATA PROCESSING UNIT OF A  
TELECOMMUNICATIONS NETWORK NODE OF AN ASYNCHRONOUS  
NETWORK, AS WELL AS A BIT RATE ADAPTATION CIRCUIT AND A CLOCK  
AND DATA RECOVERY SYSTEM

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the  
accompanying pages.

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